

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification by marked up replacement paragraph(s) as follows.

Please replace paragraph [0012] with the following:

--[0012] According to another aspect of the present invention, a telemetry device for prioritizing transmission of messages from the telemetry device is disclosed. The telemetry device includes a device log including a first information element and a second information element. The device also includes a first data structure, other than the device log, including the first information element which includes a first priority level indication, and a second data structure, other than the device log, including the second information element which includes a second priority level indication. The device also includes a processor configured to determine whether the first information element includes a first priority level indication, to determine whether the second information element includes a second priority level indication, to transmit a first message based on the first information element, and after transmitting the first message, to transmit a second message based on the second information element. An ordering of transmission is based on the first and second level priority indications.--